

EIGHT THOUSAND PEOPLE ARE LEFT HOMELESS BY THE BIG FLOOD.

OAKLAND MIKE IS THE MURDERER.



JOHN DONNELLY. CHARLES F. MERRILL.

Police Have Two Suspects in Prison Who Will Be Given the Third Degree.

Anxious to apprehend the murderer of Ah Lim, the Chinese cook who died at the Redwing Hospital Saturday night as a result of a blow received at the hands of one of a gang of thugs at Ninth and Broadway, the Chinese Six Companies have offered a reward of \$100 for the arrest and conviction of Clarence Kerr, alias the "Oakland Kid." It is believed that he was the one who struck the Chinese the fatal blow.

As a result of an autopsy performed by Dr. C. D. Hamilton the police have reached the conclusion that only one blow was struck and that was delivered by Kerr. Charlie Merrill and "Blondie" Murphy, who were arrested on suspicion of being connected with the assault are still being held while they may not have participated in the affair they are believed by the police to have been witnesses to the assault.

Chin L. Foo, secretary of the Chinese Six Companies, called on Chief of Police Hodgkins this morning and announced that the societies had agreed to offer a reward of \$100 for the arrest and conviction of the murderer.

KNOCKED OUT DIAMOND TOOTH.

Edward Conn, a dentist, who failed to gain admittance to the dental union, created considerable excitement in a lodging house on Washington street, between Eighth and Ninth streets, last night by giving his wife a severe beating. The dentist married the daughter of Louis Hamme some time ago, but their domestic life has been somewhat unpleasant, especially as the doctor had occasion to serve a sentence of six months in jail on a charge of embezzlement.

Their affairs reached a climax last night, however, when words led to a combat, during which the doctor struck his wife in the mouth, knocking out her tooth, which contained a diamond placed there by his hands during their courtship. A black eye was also presented to Mrs. Conn during the battle. While the fight was progressing pictures were torn from the wall, curtains pulled down and furniture broken. Both decline to have the other arrested.

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MANY PEOPLE ARE SAID TO HAVE LOST THEIR LIVES IN STRICKEN TOWNS.

Victims Are Washed Away in the Presence of Friends and Relatives—Tragic Scenes Are Witnessed in Many Districts.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., June 8.—The entire group of east side cities lying just north of East St. Louis and including Venice, Madison, West Madison, Newport, Brooklyn and Granite City are under from ten to eighteen feet of water which is still rising, and deaths from drowning are variously estimated at from five to twenty.

Eight thousand persons were driven from their homes.

Very little confirmation of the reports of drowning can be obtained as these places are all cut off from railroad service.

So far as known the casualties are as follows:

John Crittenden, aged 10, drowned near the Merchants' bridge in Venice.

A woman and seven children, swept from a fence by a flood in sight of the Terminal railway operator at Madison, who was attempting to save them.

A woman drowned in Madison, near the American Car Works.

A woman and baby, seen clinging to a telegraph pole in Madison, the pole turned in the water and both disappeared.

Manager Shipley of the Madison Car Works reports seven employees of the American Car and Foundry Company drowned.

Henry Edmunds, farmer, drowned near Granite City. His wife was rescued.

Others are reported.

The harbor boat Mark Twain and private yacht Annie Russell, with several lugs, have gone to Madison and Granite City, where the floods have caused a number of deaths and where scores of families are cut off from escape and at the mercy of the water.

Dumery train of the Terminal Association, connecting with skirts, commenced this morning the work of bringing across the river more than 700 persons, who spent Sunday afternoon and night on tops of houses and other points of elevation above the flood in Madison.

Four drownings were reported by the refugees but none knew the names of the victims. One

said that a father, mother and child had been drowned while trying to reach a point of safety and another told of the death of a man under like circumstances. In East St. Louis on proclamation of Mayor Cook, business is suspended, the saloons are closed and everybody is at work on the levees in a desperate effort to save the city which is from 1 to 4 feet below the level of the water, which presses up against the embankments. A hastily constructed levee of sand bags and mud is all that stands between the city and almost complete submergence.

The relay station is now surrounded by water.

Train service in every direction is laid out by the high water, and no freight business is being done at all on the east side.

The Missouri Pacific and the Frisco are the only ones running trains between here and Kansas City. Passenger traffic and the most urgent freight business is all that the railroads will handle west. It is too early to estimate the damage, which will run into the millions and the loss due to the interference with business.

BROKE THE BARRIERS.

At 8 o'clock Monday morning the combined forces of the Missouri river and the Mississippi broke the barriers at the relay depot, East St. Louis. The relay depot was surrounded with water, but the embankment of clay and sand bags made by the workers Sunday saved the city from the rush of water. Trains continued to pass on the tracks around the depot, but at 8:40 the east-bound and south-bound trains were stopped on the bridge incline. The water has risen so high that the engine could not pass through with out "dying." An army of men are working along the tracks that reach from the northern extremity of the city to the south.

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Missouri River is Still Rising at St. Louis and Will Reach 38 Feet—Losses Are Heavy.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., June 8.—According to the local weather bureau, this morning, the stage recorded by the government is 37.5, a rise during the past twenty-four hours of 1.3 feet. This breaks all records but that of 1844. It is expected the river will rise from now on until tomorrow night and that the predicted 38 feet, if at all, will barely be obtained. Then after remaining stationary for a short time, the government officials say the river will begin falling Tuesday evening or Wednesday. Unofficial reports from St. Charles on the Missouri river, to the north of St. Louis are to the effect that the river is rising very little if any.

Liability to communication with Madison and Granite City, Ill., lying a few miles north of St. Louis, where a number of people were late last night reported in danger of losing their lives from the reported flood, caused great anxiety here. At Madison nine persons are reported drowned and others either on crumbling levees or in unsafe buildings are in peril. Nothing definite as to this can be learned, however. From Ferdinand Cole, president of the Board of Levee Directors of Madison County, living at Venice, comes a report of lives lost through the collapse of a brick hotel at North Venice or Newton. Communication between Granite City and Venice is impossible. Two men are said to have braved the flood by swimming from Venice to Madison, being forced by the water from the roof of the house they were living in. Six feet of water is reported to be sweeping through the offices of Henges hotel, Madison, with guests imprisoned in the upper stories.

Residents of Granite City are in great peril from several breaks in the levee protecting that manufacturing town. Persons living about the manufacturing plant in which they are employed are reported fleeing from the town. A fresh break in the abutment to the west. Adjacent farm lands are being flooded and the residents of the low lands are seeking safety with those of the city. Efforts are being made in various ways to reach these places by water and land and effort help but it may be several hours before anything definite can be learned. The conditions

in East St. Louis continue the same as last night when a squad of twenty police were sent over from here at the request of the chief of police to assist in guarding lives and property. All the available men that could be spared were sent over today.

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FRENCH FORCES OPEN FIRE ON TRIBESMEN.

Friendly Arab Bearing Message to Native Woman and Children Killed While En Route.

BENI MOUNIE, Algeria, June 3.—The French artillery opened a preliminary fire at 5:30 this morning on the rebellious Flegu tribesmen. General O'Connor commands the punitive expedition consisting of 4000 men of the foreign legion and a strong force of artillery, armed with guns firing Mle. 188 shells. Details of the engagement have not yet been received. It was General O'Connor's plan to advance upon Flegu in three columns and post his artillery on commanding hills surrounding the stronghold.

The actual bombardment began at 7:30 and lasted until 9:30 a.m., when the French troops occupied two strategic hills, gaining these positions by surprise. It is believed the native loss was heavy but no definite details of the casualties will be obtainable until the French enter Flegu. There was no loss on the French side.

The bulk of the population of Flegu is expected to be friendly to the French as neighboring tribes are assisting in the operations of the punitive expedition.

France has formally notified the powers that she has no intention of taking Moroccan territory and will only punish the Arab tribes who attacked General Jonnet.

General O'Connor was instructed to give the women and children of Flegu an opportunity to leave the town before the bombardment. A friendly Arab courier bearing a notification to this effect to the women and children was killed while carrying the message.

ROBBED GROCER REED OF \$500.

Two Young Men Play a Sharp Game on a Clay Street Merchant.

The safe in W. J. Reed's grocery store, 1012 Clay street, was robbed of \$500 about 1 o'clock this afternoon by an unknown young man assisted by another young man whose identity is also unknown. The proprietor, W. J. Reed, was alone in the store at the time of the robbery.

Shortly after 12 o'clock a young man entered Mr. Reed's store and tendered him \$20 in gold which he requested him to change into silver. Mr. Reed went to the rear of the store where this safe is located and took out the drawer from the safe containing his gold and silver. While there he was being watched by the young man, who, after securing the desired change, left the store.

Almost immediately afterwards another young man came into the store and purchased 10 cents worth of walnuts. He engaged Mr. Reed in conversation and was some considerable time making his purchase. After paying for the walnuts the young man left the store, and when he reached the door and asked him the price of some buckets which were on display. Mr. Reed informed him of the price. The young man asked for more information, saying that he was contemplating buying some buckets. During the time Mr. Reed and the young man were conversing, the fellow who had changed the \$20 gold piece a short time before, sneaked into the store without being noticed by Mr. Reed, went to the safe and removed the drawer containing \$500 and left the building without being detected by Mr. Reed. The other young man then took his departure.

Shortly afterwards, Mr. Reed had occasion to go to his safe when he found that he had been robbed. He immediately notified the Police Department and Detective George Kyrie was detailed to investigate. As yet the police have no clue of the perpetrators.

CANNERS GO OUT ON A STRIKE.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 8.—Over 1100 employees of the American Canning Company went on strike this morning. The walk-out was due to the differences between the union and the company relative to the demand of the employees for increased wages and shorter hours. The employees, many of whom are boys and girls, reported for work this morning as usual. At 8 o'clock they were called out by the union officials.

CHIEF WITNESS IN DANGER MILLIONAIRE'S SON IN CLOSE QUARTERS

JACKSON, Ky., June 8.—It is believed that the soldiers guarding the house of B. L. Ewen, the principal witness against Jett and White, prevented assassination last night. Ewen keeps a hotel. Parties claiming to be man and wife applied last night for lodging and were taken in. Mrs. Ewen was suspicious and asked for additional guards. When the new lodgers were heard moving about in their room, the soldiers made an examination and found both were men. The parties were turned away and no arrests were made. The officers cannot make arrest unless martial law is declared and the county officers are making no arrests for drunkenness or on suspicion. There has been no town marshal here since Cockrell was killed.

DENVER, Colo., June 8.—A special to the Times from Colby, Kansas, says: Under guard of a sheriff's posse and a company of State militia, Chauncey Dewey, who is a son of a Chicago millionaire and second cousin to Admiral Dewey, refuses to talk but seems cheerful and in good spirits. Officers of the militia and others do not fear an open battle with armed settlers, but are afraid that when the party passes through the hills and wooded places efforts may be made by sharpshooters to pick off the accused prisoners.

MAY STATEMENT.

LONDON, June 8.—The May statement of the Board of Trade shows a decrease of \$7,193,000 in imports and an increase of \$7,475,500 in exports.

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DANCED FOR EASTERN STAR.

(Photo Bushnell.)

Little people, pupils of Miss Hulma Butler, who distinguished themselves in the recent Eastern Star entertainment. The names, reading from left to right, are as follows: Hazel Hansen, Renee Oliver, Edna Passmore, Wanda Griffin, Ester Williams, Freddie Mau, Beatrice Dexter Childs, Marguerite Mau.

JACK CRONIN IS LIABLE TO BE WARDEN

FORMER OAKLANDER MAY GET
THE SAN QUENTIN
PRIZE.

LOS ANGELES, June 8.—This county has a strong-backed candidate for the Wardenship of San Quentin in John Cronin, formerly of Oakland.

Cronin has been a resident of Los Angeles county for several years and has many influential friends. He is now in the United States Secret Service. He once served a term as Constable of Oakland Township and therefore has had valuable experience as an officer.

Cronin was one of the original Pardoner men in Los Angeles and was largely instrumental in getting the Governor a bunch of delegates right in the Gate stronghold.

The announcement that Aguirre will not succeed himself has prompted

RECEIVERS HAVE BEEN APPOINTED.

BALTIMORE, Md., June 8.—On the request of the creditors and upon the admission of insolvency, receivers have been appointed for the City Trust and Banking Company. President Wheatley states that the suspension was made necessary by the withdrawal of deposits recently made. He says he believes deposits will be paid in full. It is estimated that the liabilities are \$500,000, assets about the same. The suspended company did a banking and storage business.

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PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

PLEASANT RECEPTION WAS GIVEN
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An exchange has the following interesting story concerning Mrs. C. T. Mills: "Mrs. C. T. Mills, president of Mills College, at Oakland, was the guest of honor last week in Los Angeles at a charming reception given by Mrs. G. Aubrey Davidson. The hours were from 3 to 5 o'clock, and many friends of the college, as well as alumni, graduates and students, called to pay their respects to the distinguished and honored guest. A Los Angeles paper says of the affair:

"During the afternoon Miss Gerta Hatch, a former Mills college girl, who has just returned from Europe, gave two vocal selections in a rich, clear voice that delighted her hearers and gave a distinctive charm to the occasion. Mrs. Mills had a word of individual greeting for each guest, whether the graduate of yesterday or the student of nearly half a century ago. Even when, as in several instances, she had not met her former pupil for several years, each was remembered and the maiden name instantly recalled, showing an almost marvelous memory in this woman, whose life of nearly four score years has held more of change and chance, of interest and of value, than falls to the lot of most women. Mrs. Mills was a member of the first class that graduated from Mount Holyoke, Mass., and on her marriage with Dr. Mills went with him to India to engage in missionary work. In those days India was at the other end of the world, where the life of an American missionary and his wife held many unsolved problems that must be met with quick decision, courage and tact. About forty years ago they came to India and established Mills College for young ladies, the first Protestant school instituted on the Pacific coast. Among Mrs. Mills' pupils have been numbered Emma Nevada, and others who have since become famous. She was a personal friend of General U. S. Grant, and entertained him and Mrs. Grant when they arrived on the Pacific coast on their trip around the world."

MISS CHRISSE TAFT.

This is what the Call says of Miss Taft:

"Miss Chrisse Taft is the life of exclusive Oakland society and will be greatly missed during her absence this summer. She is of the Italian type of beauty, with hair like the sunshine and a disposition to correspond. She has a thoroughly likable manner and always has a pleasant word for every one, which is largely the secret of her popularity. She dresses in exquisite taste and some of her gowns are unusually pretty."

A NENGAGEMENT.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Stevens of 820 Thirteenth street announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Maude Stevens, to Alfred Cords.

The wedding, which will take place during the summer, will be a quiet home affair, only members of the two families being present.

Miss Stevens is a native of Michigan and a graduate of the Ionia High School of that State. She has a remarkably fine contralto voice and has often sung for charity. Four years ago the young girl came to California with her parents. Mr. Cords is a son of Robert Cords of Berry avenue, Fruitvale.

WILL GO TO NEW YORK.

Charles W. Perkins, the well-known tower director of the Oakland division of the Southern Pacific Company, will leave next Monday for a month's visit in New York. He will be accompanied by his wife and daughter.

PERSONALS.

Leslie Perkins and Cecil Harris will leave tomorrow for a month's vacation in Oroville.

Mrs. Emma Dagasso of 1651 Myrtle street, left this morning for a visit to her old home in Kingston, Ontario, Canada.

Dr. Naber Newton, who has been pastor of the Stanford memorial chapel for the past six months, and Mrs. Newton, spent a few days at Snell Seminary, Berkeley, previous to their departure for the East.

Dr. and Mrs. Chas. Walker, nee Lucella Cool, will spend the Fourth at Del Monte, driving their own team and stopping at San Jose and Santa Cruz a few days.

Deputy County Clerk and Mrs. A. A. Rogers will leave on the 10th inst., on a camping trip to the Russian River near Guerneville. They will remain about a month.

THE COMMERCIALS WIN DEBATE.

At the debate held at the Girls' High School building Saturday evening the

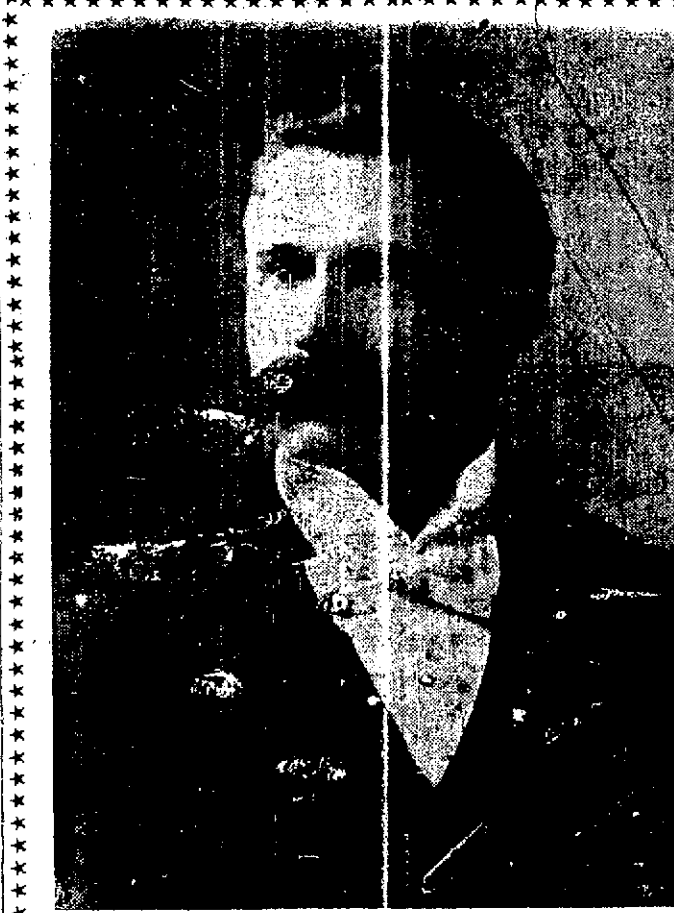
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This is indeed a high honor and a great privilege to be thus solicited to undertake such an important work.

The invitation, which comes from the special committee on commercial education, has been accepted by the college and the teachers of the various departments are already planning their work and devising means whereby the best possible results from their students may be obtained during the coming year.

Professor W. E. Gibson, manager of the college, will personally supervise the exhibit and will be present at the opening of the fair.

Oakland Evening Debating Society was defeated by the Commercial Evening School.

The question for debate was "Resolved, That the time has now come when the United States should abandon its present protective policy."

The Commercial team, composed of Walter E. Trofts, Adolph Beckwith and Edward J. Reilly, took the affirmative side of the debate. Trofts closed his side in a seven minutes' talk and said some very bright things. The Oakland team was composed of Theo P. Wittschies, Sophie E. Hill and Marshall J. Rutherford. Miss Hill presented some very good arguments and distinguished herself.

Each speaker was allowed seven minutes. The judges of the debate were Guy D. Reynolds, Thomas E. Degan and Judge Frank J. Blumsky.

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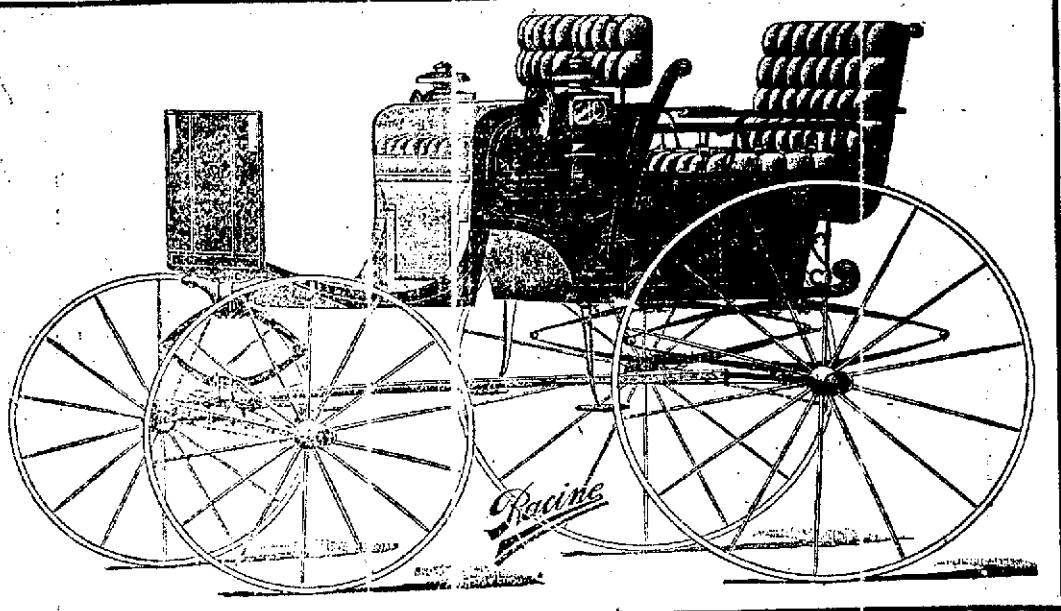
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MRS. EDDY MAKES A STATEMENT.

SHE TELLS ABOUT WRITING THE
BOOK CALLED CHRISTIAN
SCIENCE.

CONCORD, N. H., June 8.—(Special)
claims that Ralph Waldo Emerson is
the author of Christian Science have
called forth the following statement
from Mary Baker G. Eddy:

"To Whom It Concerns: I was
early the pupil of Miss Sarah J. Bow-
well, the principal of Southwestern Acad-
emy of New Hampshire and finished my
course of studies under Professor Dyer
H. Sanborn, author of Sanborn's gram-

mar. Among my early studies were
Quincy's Natural Philosophy, Chem-
istry, Blair's Rhetoric, Whittier's Logic,
Watts' On the Mind, and Moral Science.
"At 16 years of age I began writing
for leading newspapers and for many
years for the best magazines in the
South and the North. I have lectured
in large and crowded halls at New York
City, Chicago, Boston, Portland and at
Waterville College, and have been in-
vited to lecture at London and Edin-
burgh.

"In 1852, I started the Christian Sci-
ence Journal and for several years was
the proprietor and sole editor of that
journal. In 1853, Judge S. J. Hanna be-
came editor of the Christian Science
Journal and for ten subsequent years he
has been its editor. In his
last issue he said: 'Mrs. Eddy is a
woman of sound educational and liberal
culture.'

"Anasazi, the celebrated naturalist and
author said: 'Every great scientific truth
passes through three stages. First, it
is said to be a superstition; next, it
is said to be a delusion; lastly, it is
said to be a fact. Mrs. Eddy has always
been a fact.'

"The first attack upon me was: 'Mrs.
Eddy mistinterprets the scriptures; sec-

ond, she has stolen the contents of her
book, 'Science and Health with Key to
the Scriptures,' from one P. P. Quinn-
by, an obscure, uneducated man and he
is the founder of Christian Science, fail-
ing these attempts the calumniator has
resorted to Ralph Waldo Emerson's
Philosophy as the authority for Chris-
tian Science. Lastly, the defamer will
declare as honestly, 'I have always
known it.'

"I am named in the National Maga-
zine (1902) as standing eighth in a list
of twenty-two of the foremost living au-
thors.

"I claim no special merit of my kind.
All that I am God has made me. I will
wait at the cross to learn more and be
from my great Master, but not of the
Greek nor Roman schools—simply how
to do His deeds."

PERALTA HEIGHTS RESIDENTS
WANT HOUSES NUMBERED

An improvement club has addressed a
communication to the Board of Public
Works, calling attention to the fact that
the residences in the Peralta Heights
district are without numbers or the
streets without name signs. The mat-
ter has been referred to the Superin-
tendent of Streets.

DESCRIPTION OF THE MURDERER OF THE CHILDHOOD.

CHIEF HODGKINS SENDS CIR-
CLARS THROUGHOUT THE
STATE.

Chief Hodgkins has sent the follow-
ing circular all over the State:

"Murder. Thirty-five dollars, for
which amount Victor Walker, alias
Victor Walker, alias Larry Williams
alias James Flood, on May 5, 1903
cruelly murdered, in this city, Mrs.
Elizabeth Leroy, his aged benefactress.
Walker is a white colored man,
about 24 years of age; height
5 feet 6 inches; weight about 140
pounds; smooth face, or may grow a
small nearly black mustache. His hair
is not closely kinky, and if no coloring
matter is used has an ashy tinge to it.

"Has a small gunshot scar on left
side of face near the ear; has a razor
scar on left side of head over temple
and running to over left ear; the scar
is about 3 inches long; has a gunshot
scar on left leg near knee.

"This man sometimes wears glasses,
as a blind and sometimes powder on
his face. He is a barber by occu-
pation and is a discharged soldier from
Company 'C' or 'E,' Twenty-fourth
United States Infantry. He likes to be
thought to be a Spaniard.

"Wore, when last seen, June 1, 1903,
a soft black hat something like a fe-
dora; black neck suit; black lace shoes;
blue gent's calf garters; possibly has
on a pair of lady's stockings, black feet
with red striped legs, blue underwa-
re.

"He frequents sporting houses and
saloons, where he often plays tricks of
slight-of-hand with cards, money and
cards.

"Walker and his paramour, Anne
Rose, a white woman, lived since Feb-
ruary, 1902, with Mrs. Elizabeth Leroy,
a charitable colored woman, about 40
years of age, at her residence, 1013
Stanford avenue, this city. On the
night of May 5, 1903, at 9:10 p. m.,
while the lady was nodding over her
newspaper, the man stole up be-
hind her and hit her on the head with
a hammer, knocking her senseless,
then choked her to death in the pre-
sence of his paramour, who lay up in a
quilt and buried her in the basement.

"After the atrocious murder he se-
cured \$25 in money and ransacked the
house, taking all the valuables it con-
tained.

"He and his paramour remained in
the Leroy residence until May 13, 1903,
at which time they left and went to
San Francisco.

"We have the woman, Mrs. Anne
Rose, in custody. Walker, the murder-
er, has been seen in San Francisco and
Alameda county as late as June 1,
1903.

"Chief of Police, Oakland, Alameda
County, please arrest, hold and wire at my
expense. I hold warrant; charge mur-
der.

"S. C. HODGKINS
county, California.
June 6, 1903."

STREET SWEEPER HAS HIS TROUBLE.

The unclean condition of the streets
has greatly troubled Mayor Olney and
the other members of the Board of
Works. The streets were being swept
every night by men working under the
direction of Joe Martin, who has the
contract, but the Mayor claimed that
the work was not being done to the sat-
isfaction of the Board of Works. There-
fore a spotter was sent out to follow the
street sweepers with the result that he
reported that they were neglecting their
work. Then the Board called Con-
tractor Martin's attention to this and he
promised to have it remedied. A few
nights ago the Board was invited to
ride around with Martin and see how
clean he was keeping the streets. They
did not go but sent an official
work reported to the Board that the
streets were in an excellent state of
cleanness. His report was read dur-
ing the meeting of the Board of Works
when Contractor Martin was present,
and then it was shown that the streets
were thoroughly swept on the night
when the official rode around, Martin
said:

"There, you see, gentlemen, I am con-
tent."

Martin's contract runs out in July,
after which the Board will install a street
sweeping machine that are run by
hand.

LOUBET'S VISIT CAUSES DISCUSSION.

ROME, June 8.—The official announce-
ment of King Victor Emmanuel's visit
to Paris and President Loubet's return
visit, although foreseen, has produced
considerable impression at the Vatican
as President Loubet will be the first
ruler of a Catholic country to visit Rome
officially since the fall of the temporal
power. By the exercise of all kinds of
pressure the Holy See has prevailed
upon President Loubet to be the first
to break this rule, and the question how
the Vatican will treat him, especially in
view of the present situation in France
regarding the religious orders, is being
discussed.

There are two currents of feeling at
the Vatican. The uncompromising ele-
ment insists that the President shall be
refused admittance to the Vatican while
the conciliatory section wishes to find a
way to arrange the matter, arguing that
the prohibition to admit to Rome is only
for Catholic sovereigns, not for pres-
idents of Republics, who, although not
rulers of Catholic countries, may themselves
be non-Catholic. The visits of the King
of Italy to Paris is considered as a great
success for the French Ambassador at
Rome, to his diplomatic ability it was
principally due.

SOLD FOR A LARGE PRICE.

The four-room cottage at 1762 Teath
street, belonging to the estate of Cord
Rahmstorf and appraised at \$1,000,
was sold on June 6th under the hammer
to H. Bullock for \$1,200. J. A. Hunsro,
the auctioneer, conducted the sale which
brought this good result.

The average age of death has in-
creased from 35 years in the sixteenth
century to 38 1/2 years in the present
one.

REV. THOMAS BOYER SAYS SOME INTERESTING THINGS IN THE PULPIT.

Childhood had its day at the First
Christian Church and last night Rev.
Thomas A. Boyer said some very
pretty things about children. Here are
a few of them:

Childhood is a prolific subject. Were
it possible to congregate the children
who were born every year, it would
make an army comparable to which the
combined armies of Xerxes, Alexander
the Great, Napoleon Bonaparte, Grant
and Lee would be scouting parties. If
the children born annually in the city
of New York were taken out for an
airing together, a double line of baby
carriages would extend from New York
to Albany, up the Hudson 150 miles.
Childhood is a plain practical every-day
and every hour in the day subject.

Passing by the various and fascinat-
ing ways of approaching this subject,
I want to emphasize the value of chil-
dren as little men and women.

We may very appropriately apply to
them the saying of the Roman poet
Terrence: "I am a man and whatever is
common to humanity is not foreign to
me." An little men and women
children have their joys and sorrows,
their successes and defeats. The loss
of a marble or a broken toy may mean
as much to a toddler as the loss of a
fortune to a man. Children have their
own appropriate place and perform
their own part of the world's work.
We often hear references to the in-
fluence of the parents on the children,
but parents go to school their children
quite as much as the children to the
parents.

SMALL BUT MIGHTY.

It is said that the cackling of a flock
of geese put off the downfall of Rome,
and that the life of Mahomet was
saved by a spider's web. It is the fact
that God employs oftentimes the tiniest
forces to accomplish the greatest
results, and that the boys and girls of
today are the men and women of to-
morrow, that makes the tread of the
children of today sound like the tramp
of an invading army.

Furthermore as little men and wo-
men the children have their rights. We
have heard much of the rights of men
and women of the Chinaman, the Jap,
and the Filipino, but who ever heard
of the rights of children. On the
ground that "Gods well bought are
half sold," and that "Children born
well the first time are nearly born
again," children have a right to as a
birth right, an honorable heritage. It
is said that a few days ago Marshall
P. Wilder, the diminutive comedian,
was accosted by a friend on the street,
who slapped him on the shoulder and
said, "What makes you so small?" to
which the quick reply was, "Carrying
a mortgage, my boy, carrying a mort-
gage of thousands of such unfortun-
ate, carrying mortgages of bad blood,
of bad names, of nerves and muscles
all tangled and contaminated by the
inbreeding and shame of dissolute an-
cestors."

WORDS FROM THE SCAFFOLD.

Frederick C. Fisher who is now in
San Quentin awaiting to be hung for a
heinous crime said when he was being
tried "My name is Frederick C.
Fisher. I'm thirty-one years old. I
was born in New York City. I was
a thief from my birth. I'm bad
from heredity."

From statistics compiled by R. L.
Dugdale in the State of New York, it
was shown that of 709 descendants of
"Margaret, the Mother of Criminals,"
a dissolute and bad woman, 283 re-
ceived public charity, 76 were punished
for crime, while nearly all were offend-
ers against virtue and were diseased.
Children have a right to be respected
and made to feel that they are on the
program of God in the world.

I know of nothing more pagan and
profane in all our modern life than
that supercilious and false philosophy
that has placarded the twentieth cen-
tury city with its "No Children"
signs.

CURRENT PHILOSOPHY.

"Bidget," said a devotee of the "No
Children" cult, "Where is Johnny?"
"Out there in the back yard. What
is he doing?" "I don't know." "Well
go and get him and tell him to stop it."

Children have a right to be brought
up in an atmosphere in which they
may have free course to run and be
glorified. An atmosphere in which
they may come to their highest and
best self, physically, intellectually
and spiritually. Too many children
grow up to be the boy who said that
in order to get by some places he had
to pass on his way to school, without
getting sick that he "walked as fast
as he could with his hand over his
mouth, holding his nose, and that
when he was past he spit before he
swallowed."

There is no more positive affirmation
of the value of Christian environment
than the testimony of men like Rose-
velt, and McKinley and Garfield.

LETTER LIST.

List of letters remaining uncalled for
in the Oakland, Cal., Postoffice, Sat-
urday morning June 6th, Persons call-
ing for any of the following please
state date of list. All letters remain-
ing unclaimed two weeks will be sent
to the Dead Letter Office.

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gel, Mrs Anderson, Mrs Anderson,
B—Mrs Sherman C Baldwin, Dr Bar-
ker, R E Barney, D Beede, J H Beck-
man, Mrs Elizabeth Birdsall, O A
Blankinship, 2, Herbert Boucher, Wil-
liam T Bosenman, Mrs A M Bowen,
Miss Emily Brand, Mrs C A Braun,
Mrs F L Brown, Will Brooks, Mrs M
J Burley, Mrs Martha Burrell, Mrs E
Burnell, Bert Busey.

C—Mrs Anna Cafferatta, William
Cales, W E Cassin, Joe Chapman,
George J Chase, Mrs C T W Chapman,
Miss Fannie B Clark, Mrs Laura H C
Clark, Jesse Clipper, Grace Ethel Con-
ger, Harold Connell, Miss Lucrécia R
Cook, F Corwin, Mrs C J Craft, Cope-
ly Veterinary College, J F Crosse, Rea-
ly Veterinary College, Mrs L C Cummings, J D
Curtin.

D—Mrs Selma Damgard, Mrs Davis,
Antonio De Avellar, G De Filippo, Mrs
Jas Derry, Wm Demming, Mrs L E
Doran, Mrs Anna Duncan, Francis
Dunant, Sperry Dyce, Mr and Mrs L
A Barnes, Jay English, R C Esson.

F—Thomas Fennessy, Mrs A Per-
rier, C E Foster, Mrs Fred Forslund,
L W Fordehas, William Gordon
French.

G—Miss Laura Gatties, Otto Giese,
Charles Gilson, L C Golden 2, R O
Gomez, Miss Albertina Grave, Miss
Gregory, Mrs Ida Green, James Grif-
fin.

H—Mrs M Hackett, Mrs Maggie
Hall, Miss Netha Hall, E H Hamilton,
C M Hamilton, Mrs Hasty, Miss K S
Hannish, Mr Harnden, Mrs H. H. H.
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THE NEW COLONIAL POLICY OF GREAT BRITAIN.

Joseph Chamberlain's new colonial policy may be given to the simple statement that Great Britain now proposes to establish a preferential commercial relation with its colonies. This can only be accomplished by placing an import duty upon the products of the countries other than the British colonies. The establishment, therefore, of a preferential commercial relation with its colonies means in a very large measure relaxation of the rigid adherence to the policy of free trade, which has heretofore characterized British statesmanship.

Heretofore the British free trade policy has been applied to its own colonies without the slightest recognition of the political relation between the home and colonial governments. Great Britain has even permitted the colonies to establish protective tariffs against the trade of the mother country. Great Britain will naturally expect at the hands of its colonies a discriminating tariff in favor of the manufacturers of the mother country. In this way the prosperity and the population of the colonies will be largely increased. Their capacity for the consumption of British manufactured wares will be greatly augmented and a vast commercial system will be built up, of which Great Britain will have primary and practically undisputed control.

At last British statesmanship is equal to the task of enjoying the advantages which ought to arise out of its political control of vast territorial areas throughout the world. The preferential trade relation between Great Britain and its colonies will exert a potent influence upon the commercial and industrial prosperity of these colonies. A preferential trade relation between Great Britain and its colonies, based upon a partial return to a protective system, will greatly augment the exports of these colonies to the mother country, and correspondingly diminish the exports to Great Britain from the United States.

Shielding itself against the competition of British manufacturers by a protective system, the United States has at all times enjoyed the free markets of Great Britain in the sale of its raw products, including its cotton, its meats and its breadstuffs. Under a system of preferential relation with its colonies the commercial and industrial condition of those colonies will be vastly augmented, and the United States will find a new and powerful rival. The new policy will constitute a very effective stimulus to the production of cotton, equally with other field products.

In brief, England proposes to measurably withdraw its trade relations from the nations of the world by augmenting its commercial industrial relations with its own colonies. This is in effect a policy of reciprocity, which, having its initial stages in the trade relations between Great Britain and its colonies, will eventually in reciprocal instead of free trade relations with other nations of the world.

The protective system of America has been indebted for much of its effectiveness to the free trade policy of Great Britain. The extent to which this effect will be modified by the reciprocal policy about to be inaugurated by the British Government remains to be seen.

In alluding to Senator Foraker's remarks concerning the endorsement of President Roosevelt by the Ohio Republican Convention, the Cincinnati Enquirer sneers, "So say the other eight tailors of Tooley street." The Enquirer is as inaccurate as it is malapropos in the application of its similes. There were only three tailors at the gathering in Tooley street that resolved, "We the people, etc."

Things are going by contraries indeed, when there is drought in New England and floods in Kansas.

THE SIGN OF CORRUPTION.

The resignation of Colonel Marcus M. Hecht as a member of the San Francisco Fire Commission serves to sharply remind the public of that city of the condition into which the municipal administration has fallen. While Colonel Hecht gave no specific reason for his resignation other than the stereotyped desire for "more leisure time to attend to his own private business," it is notorious that he severed official relations with the Fire Commission, because he would no longer sustain personal relations with Commissioner Parry or be a party to official acts which he regarded as dishonorable if not dishonest.

Colonel Hecht is a man of wealth, public spirit and large manufacturing interests, and a patron of arts and various institutions having the education and improvement of the masses as their object. Office-holding as a means of profit has no charms for him, and he only accepted an appointment as Fire Commissioner to assist in promoting cleaner and more efficient methods in municipal administration.

Naturally he could not stand association with J. S. Parry, who is accused on direct, positive testimony of selling

city property without authority and embezzling the proceeds. He sold a coat belonging to the Fire Department for \$35 to a man named Scott. The only point in dispute is whether Parry ever got the money or not. He gave Scott a written order for the coat which he had no authority to do. Scott says he paid him the money, and another witness says he saw it paid. Parry denies it. The Mayor professes to believe Parry's story. Commissioner Hecht resigns.

This emphasizes a condition of which the coat episode is only an indication. The sale of questions for a civil service examination is another indication. There the Mayor hastily accepted the resignation of a Commissioner of his appointment to forestall investigation and official action, and gave him a certificate of character after he had been detected red-handed in grafting.

Mayor Schmitz has appointed one of his brothers a Commissioner of Public Works and given another a lucrative job as Superintendent of Public Buildings. He meddled with the Police Department till he got his own creatures placed in charge of Chinatown, which is the richest field for grafting in the city. It is significant that all the elements which fear the police and have reason to temper the rigors of the law employ the Mayor's private attorney and confidential counsellor.

There is a moral in this that all may read as they run. It fully explains why honorable and high-minded men like Colonel Hecht leave the public service when persons like Parry enter and become the controlling influence.

The summer home Mr. Cleveland has rented in Massachusetts is away from the ocean. Probably the Princeton sage does not want to hear what the wild waves are saying about his proposed candidacy.

Secretary Hay seems to think he has caught a Tartar in Ambassador McCormick.

Senator Hanna is getting some ecstasies for withdrawing opposition to endorsing Roosevelt that he may not fully appreciate. The Kansas City Star says the Senator has shown himself to be no chump. Wouldn't that jar you?

HISTORY FROM GEORGIA.

Mr. Thomas E. Watson, sometime a Populist member of Congress from Georgia, is writing a history of the United States, being moved thereto, as he says, by a desire to give the South and Southerners their proper place in history. He outlines his motive in this sentence taken from an article contributed by him to the Atlanta Constitution:

"My special purpose in writing 'The Life and Times of Thomas Jefferson' has been to make it the first part of a new history of the United States, whose intention is to do justice to the South."

At the outset here is a declaration that Mr. Watson is not actuated by the true spirit of an historian. He is inspired by a spirit of championship and impressed with the belief that his section and its people have not had fair treatment in the so-called histories of our country put forth at intervals before the lapse of time has given a background for a faithful portrayal of men and events or a perspective that will enable just measurements to be made of persons and incidents—their relation to each other, and their influence on national life.

He thus proposes to meet partisanship with partisanship.

Will what he writes be history? No doubt it will be excellent material for the future historian. Judging by Mr. Watson's past performances with his pen, it will be an interesting contribution to current literature. Presumably it will tend to alter the viewpoint of most of the studies and essays that pass for American history.

Napoleon said history was lies agreed upon. Much that goes by the name of history is fable beyond question, and a good deal of it while true, in detail, gives a distorted view of men and events. Nevertheless there is such a thing as correct history. It is not contained in any one narrative, nor is it the record that any one man or any one set of men may make. It is the honest impression the intelligent reader gains from reading the various narratives of the same period and happenings, written by different authors from different standpoints.

Mr. Watson justly complains that the histories of our country and the biographies of our statesmen have been written mainly by New Englanders, who magnified everything done by men in one section of the country and belittled the deeds of men of another section. The reason the Puritan looms up so large in our history is because the record has been written by the Puritans and their descendants. The Puritans had a talent for polemical discussion and they were egotists and enthusiasts, self-righteous and partisan to the core. Their history is as Calvinistic as their faith. Their mental attitude is shown by the sons of men—who made their fortunes in the slave trade subscribing money to buy guns with which John

Brown might arm negroes for a servile rebellion.

In other words, the Puritan idea is and always has been that what the Puritan did was right and what everybody else did was mostly wrong.

The Puritan was undoubtedly right in many things and possessed many robust virtues. He also possessed strength of mind, character and purpose, but charity and justice for his neighbors bore small place in his gospel. When he has exhibited them he usually makes the exhibition the pretext for referring to the general unworth of the subject. In viewing things, the New Englander has clung to the habit of holding the big end of the glass to his eye. That is why the brooks, clumps of maple and the modest hills in the vicinity of Boston have assumed a majesty and beauty that dwarfed to his mind the great rivers, mighty forests and lofty mountains to the West and South. Similarly with the events of our national history. Paul Revere's ride is celebrated in song and history, yet it was no more dangerous nor difficult than a ride from Oakland to Hayward on a trolley car and scarcely longer. When the name of George Rogers Clarke, who conquered the West for the infant Republic is mentioned, it is probably to remind the reader that he sometimes got drunk on muster and election days and was suspected of conspiring in his old age to set up a new government.

An armful of books has been written about Nathan Hale, executed by the British as a spy, but nothing is ever said about Isaac Hayne, who was hanged as a traitor by Lord Rawdon. Had Hayne been born in Massachusetts and Hale in South Carolina, the former would have been glorified and the latter forgotten.

Patriotic citizens dumped a shipload of stamped tea in the harbor at Annapolis and nothing is said of it. Subsequently the same thing was done in Boston, and the whole world has been hearing ever since the story of the exploit told in a variety of nasal tones. It is hinted that Hamilton wrote Washington's Farewell Address, that Franklin dictated the Declaration of Independence and that John Quincy Adams prompted Monroe to put forth the famous doctrine that goes by his name. It is said that Edgar Allan Poe inherited his literary genius from Connecticut and his love of whisky from Virginia. When the flyblown reputation of Benedict Arnold is being burnished up for show, and incidentally it is recalled that General Daniel Morgan was lashed in Braddock's camp for stealing furs. This probably evens up matters with Morgan for winning the battle of Cowpens about the time Arnold was trying to sell West Point to the British.

Now Mr. Watson is going to give us some history written with the glass turned the other way. Paul Revere will sink out of sight and Sergeant Jasper will loom up to giant stature. We shall hear a great deal about Isaac Hayne and precious little about Nathan Hale. Marion will be shown bigger than Greene, and generally speaking, the Yankee potatoe will be put at the bottom and the Southern article put at the top.

Mr. Watson's contribution will be awaited with interest. We have had a surfeit of Old Put and pumpkin pie and will welcome a change to corn pone and sweet potatoes.

Mayor Schmitz vouches for the honesty of Commissioner Parry. Now let Ancient Pistol back up the integrity of Bardolph.

The irrigation movement in Kansas seems to have become altogether too strenuous of a sudden.

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THE COMIC MUSE.

If vegetarians held sway
Meat wouldn't be so dear as now,
But then some trust world corner hay
And keep us guessing anyhow.
—Washington Star.

We must allow we showed 'em how;
It will not be our turn to pout
If Britons raise a tariff wall
To keep the Yankee perils out.
—Chicago News.

A piccolo player was stoned.
As over his playing he moaned.
When asked why he played it,
He smiled as he said it,
"Because it's so very high-toned."
—Yale Record.

HOW IT WAS DONE.
A cook lady famed for her mousses,
When asked why she did not produce
Its wonderful savor,
Ascribed the fine flavor
To the ounce of pure strawberry jouse.
—Town Topics.

CAUSE FOR GRATITUDE.
I am thankful that the sun and moon
Are both hung up so high,
That no reforming hand can reach
To take them from the sky.
For if they weren't, I have no doubt,
That some presumptuous ass
Would move to take them from their
place
And light the world with gas.
—The Growler.

From the world's great game of poker
This paradox I choose:
It often seems the gayest man's
The one that has the blues.
—Cornell Widow.

SHE HAD A SWEET TOOTH.
Willie fell in the molasses
Barrel, in the shed.
"Now I'll lick you, Willie,"
His angry mother said.
—Cornell Widow.

Chips from Other Block.

Mr. Bryan can be relied upon to discover some connection between Chaucer, Aristotle's renunciation of silver and Mr. Roosevelt's recent gift to the University of Nebraska—Kansas City Star.

Ex-Minister Wu has been given a subordinate position in Peking. He must feel this keenly, and the commensurate season in full blast in the United States, too.—Baltimore American.

Now, if Mr. Bryan will let Cleveland alone for awhile, following Senator Hanna's illustrious example, we'll all be happy.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Considering the great number of recent smash-ups, it is indeed a grave question if the automobile has "come to stay."
—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Had the French woman who slept for twenty years been a man and an African citizen what an ideal candidate for vice-president she would have made!
—Chicago News.

Praise is one of the most difficult of things to deal out satisfactorily. If you do not praise a man as liberally as he thinks he deserves, he hates you; if you overpraise him, he sets you down as a sharper or a fool.—Boston Transcript

SOME PASSING JESTS.

"How did he come to be admitted into swell society?"
"He took pains to give the impresario that he didn't want to be."
—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

"Rich publisher, that!"
"Yes; he owns two race horses and five authors."
—Atlanta Constitution.

BLOW, YE WINDS!
Fred—The Flatiron Building ought to inspire Edwin Markham to write a companion piece to "The Man With the Hoe."
Ted—Why, what's that?
Fred—"The Girl with the Hoe."
—New Yorker.

A HOLD-BACK EXPRESSION.
"What a singular air of repression Mr. Murray Hill possesses!"
"Yes. He's from New York, you know, and that expression is his way of trying to keep the speed of his automobile down to the legal rate of eight miles an hour."
—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

THE BRIBER.
"Say, mister," began the urchin with the soiled cheeks, "are yer de man dat's a dog to put up de baseball fence?"
"Yes, sonny," responded the big bullier, "that can I do for you?"
"Will yer accept a bribe?"
"A bribe?"
"Yes; der Goose Hill gang will chue in and give yer one bone to pick out plucks wild knot-holes in dem."
—Chicago N. W.

SCIENTIFIC NOTES.


Prof. George Darwin, son of Charles Darwin, who has made a special study of the moon's effect on the rotation of the earth, has proved by mathematical that the moon once was a part of the earth and still is slowly moving away from it. However, by the agency of the tides—due in the main to lunar influence—the rotation of the earth is being made slower. For the tides act as a huge brake upon the earth, which ever spins a little less rapidly. Hence it is that the length of the day—the period, that is, of the earth's rotation—increases by about twenty-two seconds in each century. Obviously this, unchecked would make a tremendous difference in the habits of the people, say, a million years hence, when the day would be about eight hours long. Prof. Darwin says that ultimately the day and the month will be equal in length, amounting to about fifty-five days of the present length. This will be by no means the end, for if there still are oceans on the earth the sun will cause a tidal friction, even when the moon has ceased to do so, and will eventually bring the moon back to the arms of the earth, never more to be parted. Such, indeed will be the history of the solar system, for the earth and all the other planets and their satellites will one day rejoin the sun which gave them birth.

For sometime past severe experiments have been conducted by the German naval authorities to ascertain the suitability of the carrier pigeon for intelligence service in the navy; and so successful have these trials proved that permanent pigeon stations are to be erected. The chief of these will be at Wilhelmshaven and Heligoland for the North sea and at Friedrichsort for the Baltic. To assist the admiralty in its scheme sixty-one carrier pigeon clubs have placed their services at the disposal of the authorities. Six of these clubs have stations on the east coast—two at Kiel, two at Rendsburg, one at Nortorf and one at Lubeck—while there are no less than forty-two stations on the North sea coast—sixteen at Hamburg, four at Bremen, the others being distributed over the country of the lower Rhine between Crefeld and Dusseldorf. The navy department will thus have sufficient birds and conveniences at its disposal and will leavay the cost of conveying the baskets containing the birds to the various warships and the return of the birds to the respective clubs to which they belong.

Researches of Dr. Suchsland are said to have shown that the flavor of tobacco is produced by the action of microbes during the curing process. This German scientist has found that the flavor of Virginia tobacco is produced by a microbe peculiar to Virginia, and that the sweet savor of Havana cigar is the work of a patriotic Cuban microbe. Taking bacteria from fermenting Havana leaf, he introduced them into a heap of German tobacco, which thereupon assumed all the properies of genuine Havana. Inversely the German microbe leavened Cuban-grown leaf into the similitude of tobacco grown in the fatherland.

THE COMIC MUSE.
Springs lays her velvet carpet down
Beneath the sky so hazy
While here and there to hold it fast,
She racks it with a daisy.
—New York Evening Sun.

"At the Front"



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Save the Bands.

SOME QUEER CUSTOMS.

In a recent book on his native country an intelligent Turk writes: "Formerly girls in Turkey were not allowed to learn the mystery of calligraphy. We have had some excellent poets in days gone by, but none of them could write—they dictated their inspirations. The common explanation given of this traditional prohibition—for it is a custom rather than a rule—was that if girls once learned writing they might have imitated in talismanic pastimes and eventually have become witches. As a matter of fact, the real reason was quite different. There was a fear, perhaps not ill-founded, that having once learned to write they might hasten to make use of the accomplishment by composing love-letters to young men with whom they could not otherwise communicate, for the strict seclusion of females cut off all intercourse between young people of opposite sexes almost as soon as they have ceased to be infants."

A visitor to Constantinople gives this picture of the dancing dervishes: "The worshippers, having divested themselves of their flowing cloaks, stretched out their arms and began to revolve, at first slowly and rhythmically, but gradually warming to it. In a few seconds the hell beneath was alive with a host of figures reeling and twirling round and round with ever-increasing rapidity to the weird music of reed flutes and cymbals—both instruments conducive to spiritual exaltation. In a few more seconds their long white robes bulged and expanded like colossal parasols, until the whole mass merged in one immense cloud of callous, while their lowering heads, wildered eyes the appearance of a "dazed congregation of chimney-pots suddenly gone whirling mad."

Lady Butler gives the following account of what she saw at Bethlehem during the Christmas season of 1902: "The pilgrims arrived as we did, and we saw them in the grotto of the shepherds, each holding a lighted taper and responding to the chant of their old priest, who had a head which would do admirably for a picture of Abraham. These poor men were in fur coats and high, clumsy boots, and one told us he had come from Tobolsk and had been two years on that tramp. He assured us he could manage his return journey in no time—only ten months or so. Their devotion was profound, as it always is, and was utterly unselfconscious. Great pilgrims as we are, how many Englishmen would walk for two years to visit his sheepfold?"

In the Turkish government all the power rests with the Sultan. The sultan's word is law, and no one is allowed any matter affecting the vital interests of the country on their own account. The conversation of the ministers in council is chiefly about the weather and other safe, unexciting topics. The favorite conversation opening of the late Shah-nishah in the council was "Under the benevolent auspices of his imperial majesty, our august master, the weather is fine today."

There is a little fanciful railway at Montmartre, in Paris, and in the windows of its two stations appear the following notice: "We beg to inform thieves that we never leave either money or valuables in these stations at night time. It is therefore useless to break into these stations. You are requested to inform other thieves of this fact, in order that they may not waste their time on a useless job."

An innocent farmer of Gloucester Bought a diamond ring from a confectioner. But he found to his cost, That the ring was a frost.
And the vendor a perfect impostor.
—New York Press.

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For Sale.
Tomorrow we will sell a choice and well selected line of furniture and household goods. H. Schellhaas, 408 Eleventh street.

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NEXT WEEK
WELL KNOWN ALAMEDA TEACHER
WILL WED PROMINENT
YOUNG MAN.

ALAMEDA, June 8.—Miss Ada Emma Conrad and Daniel S. Swett will be married on Tuesday, June 16th, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Conrad, 2021 Pacific avenue. Miss Conrad is the daughter of Alameda's Chief of Police. She resigned her position as teacher in the Haight Grammar School at the last meeting of the Board of Education. The groom is a son of the late Daniel Swett, a pioneer resident and capitalist of the city. After a wedding trip the couple will reside at the Swett home at Bay Farm Island.

MONTHLY HEALTH REPORT.

ALAMEDA, June 8.—The monthly report of Health Officer L. W. Stidman shows that there were 14 deaths in May, giving an annual death rate per 1000 of 84 and a monthly death rate of 1.0. Of the deaths 2 were from cancer, 4 from apoplexy, 2 from senility, 2 from pneumonia, 1 from enteritis, 1 from congestion of the liver and 2 from accidents.

Twenty-five cases of contagious or infectious diseases were reported for the month as follows: Diphtheria, including membranous croup, 2; scarlet fever, 2; typhoid, 2; mumps, 4; measles, 21; whooping cough, 2. There were 25 births reported, of which 18 were males and 7 females.

REBEKAH'S ELECT OFFICERS.

ALAMEDA, June 8.—Live Fair Oaks Lodge, No. 4, Rebekah Lodge, I. O. O. F., elected the following officers Saturday night: Noble grand, Mrs. George Redding; vice grand, Mrs. George Caswell; recording secretary, Mrs. E. D. Fandor; financial secretary, Mrs. Rickleson; treasurer, Mrs. Casé.

INQUEST ON THURSDAY.

ALAMEDA, June 8.—The inquest on the death of the late Leonard Crossley of Watsonville, who died here last week, will be held at 5 o'clock Thursday afternoon. The funeral took place Saturday.

SAW THE SUN RISE.

ALAMEDA, June 8.—A number of young people went to Mt. Tamalpais Saturday night to see the sunrise Sunday morning. The party returned yesterday evening after having had a very pleasant trip. Those who took the trip were: Mrs. W. H. Southern, the Misses Keegan, Palmer, Helen Sweet, Augusta Kuhn, J. Bishop, Irene Stevens, Elsie Middleton, A. Ann, M. Wiebalk and Robins, the Messrs. Lawrence Southern, James W. Gilgley and Oro Kibby.

THREE SMALL FIRES.

ALAMEDA, June 8.—There were three small fires resulting in no great damage here Saturday afternoon. At 2 o'clock a telephone message called the Webb avenue fire department to 1300 San Antonio avenue, where there was a grass fire. At 3:07 an alarm from box 31 brought the department to the city lot next to Alfred Clement's store at Morton station. A eucalyptus tree had caught fire from some burning grass. Another telephone message called the fire department to another grass fire in the city corporation yard at the foot of Grant street.

ON A VACATION TRIP.

ALAMEDA, June 8.—Judge Fred S. Cone and D. E. Fisher, the Park-street butcher, have left for a vacation trip to the northern part of the State, near Cloverdale. They will be away until June 22. Judge Tappen will take charge of Judge Cone's justice cases during his absence. This will make three others Judge Tappen is holding down at one time.

CHILDREN'S DAY CELEBRATED.

ALAMEDA, June 8.—The children of the First Congregational Sunday school celebrated children's day yesterday. In the forenoon the pastor, L. Potter Hinchcock, preached a children's sermon. A vesper service was held at 5 o'clock, when the following program was carried out: Organ prelude, chorus, "With Gladness We Worship," by the school; religious readings and prayer; baptismal hymn and baptism of children; "For of Ages"; quartet; recitation, "About Ben Adhem and the Angel," Miss Emily Lang; chorus, "Come, O Come"; recitation, "Grandpa and Children's Day," Helen Neal; violin solo, "Reverence," Miss Helen S. Sutherland; recitation, "Little Adele Hobson, Ada Fletcher, Hazel Johnson, Anita Jamieson; chorus, "We Are Come With Joy and Gladness," school; recitation, "The Best Way of Loving," Lela Rogers; solo, "Dream of Paradise," Hamilton Gray; E. M. Macandless, with violin obligato by Miss Helen Sutherland; recitation, "What a Smile Can Do," Ruth Conner; recitation, "The Secret of Being Loved," Gardner Goldthwaite; Charles Gannetter, Dick James; graduation, "Sing Unto the Lord" (Dr. H. S. Stewart), quartet.

MACCABEES ELECT OFFICERS.

ALAMEDA, June 8.—Alameda Tent No. 22, Knights of the Maccabees, has elected the following officers: Commander, A. Hendrickson; lieutenant commander, A. Banta; record keeper, Walter H. Weeks; finance keeper, Herman A. Rissman; chaplain, P. P. Saviers; physician, Dr. E. T. Holford; sergeant, A. G. Rissman; master of arms, John Lewis; first master of guard, H. L. Jeuneuse; second master of guard, Marcell Perro; sentinel, L. H. Barber; picket, F. Maher.

LAST MEETING HELD TODAY.

ALAMEDA, June 8.—The last meeting of the season of the Political Equality Club was held this afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Speddy, 855 Cedar street.

"YANK" KENNY IN TOWN.

ALAMEDA, June 8.—"Yank" Kenny, James J. Corbett's trainer and sparring partner, arrived in town this morning to prepare for the fighter's arrival tomorrow. Mrs. Corbett has been occupying a cottage on Railroad avenue for the past two weeks. The ex-champion will train at the Neptune Gardens.

YOUNG BICYCLE THIEVES

RECEIVE HEAVY SENTENCE.

B. S. Marshall and Cecil Hook, two young boys accused of bicycle stealing, were arraigned before Judge Ellisworth this morning for having stolen wheels from Ed. Bryan and Carlin Smith. Both boys pleaded guilty and were sentenced to one year each at Folsom and San Quentin respectively. There are other charges against them, which are also to be prosecuted against them.

WIFE WANTS HER COMPLAINT
WITHDRAWN BUT JUDGE RE-
FUSES—JURY TRIAL.

ALAMEDA, June 8.—Oliver Wagner an expressman, was arrested by Patrolman George H. Brown, at his house on Railroad avenue, between Oak and Park street yesterday morning on complaint of his wife for battery. Mrs. Wagner alleged, before Justice Fred Cone, that her husband hit her on the nose with a hammer at 10 o'clock yesterday morning. Wagner was released on his own recognizance.

The couple appeared before Judge Tappen this morning, when the wife wished to withdraw the complaint. The judge would not listen to the prayer, saying the case was too flagrant. The defendant demanded a jury trial and his case was set for Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock.

WALRATH WILL IS
ADMITTED TO PROBATE

The will of Margaret E. Walrath, deceased, whose belief in spiritualism caused her will, by which she left a large amount of property to her co-religionists, to be contested in the courts, was admitted to probate this morning by Judge Hall. Allan Cushing was appointed administrator without bonds.

Mrs. Walrath left property valued approximately at \$45,000. She specifically left \$15,000 to certain of her friends and left a number of her relatives out entirely. It was shown that Mrs. Walrath was a believer in spiritualism and wrote a book. It, however, was decided by Judge Hall that Mrs. Walrath knew enough to leave her property to those of the same religious belief as herself and sustained the will, which was admitted to probate this morning. She, however, failed to name a residuary legatee, so that all of the estate with the exception of that specifically mentioned will be divided in accordance with the laws of intestacy.

ARCHBISHOP OF
MANILA SELECTED.

ROME, June 8.—The Vatican today officially announced that the Rev. J. J. Gavini, pastor of St. Leo's Church of St. Louis, has been appointed archbishop of Manila.

STRUCK BY FLYER.

AGED SPANIARD HAS HIS LEG
BADLY SHATTERED AT PLEAS-
ANTON—MAY BE FATAL.

PLEASANTON, June 8.—Jose Garcia, an aged Spaniard was struck by the Stockton Flyer at this place last evening and had his leg so badly shattered that it will have to be amputated and it is believed that owing to his advanced age that the operation will result fatally. He was removed to Livermore where all that it was possible to do for him is being done.

Garcia attempted to cross the track just as the train was coming into the depot and was unable to get across before he was struck. He was knocked a considerable distance and the bone of his left leg was terribly shattered.

STOCK MARKET

SAN FRANCISCO, June 8.—The following quotations up to noon today are given by Bolton, Do Ruyter & Co. of 490 California street:

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Northern Cal. Pow. 5%	100 1/2
Park & Ocean RR. 6%	130
San Elec. Gas & Ry. 5%	104 1/2
S. F. & S. J. Val. 5%	123
S. F. R. of Ariz. 10%	112 1/2
S. F. Branch of Cal. 6%	140
S. V. Wat. 2 mts. 4%	100
S. V. Wat. 3 mts. 4%	98 1/2
LATER STOCKS.	
Spring Valley	83 1/2
STREET RAILROAD STOCKS.	
California	205
BANK STOCKS.	
Am. Nat. Bank	135
Anglo-Cal. Bk. (\$50 pd.)	615
SAVINGS BANK STOCKS.	
Mut. Sav. Bk.	40 1/2
Security Sav. Bank	40
POWDER STOCKS.	
Giant	73 1/2
Vigilant	38 1/2
SUGAR STOCKS.	
Hart Plant Co.	3 1/2
Har. Com. & Sug. Co.	42 1/2
Honolulu Sug. Co.	10
Hutchinson Sug. Plant Co.	14 1/2
Makawala Sug. Co.	26
Ono Sug. Co.	21 1/2
Pasadena Sug. Co.	17 1/2
GAS AND ELECTRIC STOCKS.	
Pac. Gas Imp. Co.	42 1/2
Pac. Lighting Co.	59
S. F. Gas & Elec. Co.	53 1/2
Gas Corp.'s	57 1/2
SALES.	
1000 Nor. Cal. Pow. 5%	100
100 Gas & Elec.	53 1/2
50 Gas & Elec.	59
100 Pac. Gas	42 1/2
100 Hawaiian	45 1/2
5 Hawaiian	44 1/2
10 Hawaiian	43 1/2

TAILOR INJURED BY FALL.

M. Conroy, a tailor, living at 835 Grove street, slipped and fell this morning as he was engaged in moving furniture down stairs and it is feared that he is suffering from concussion of the brain. He was removed to the Receiving Hospital in the police patrol where his injury was attended to by Dr. Stranton.

DEMANDED JURY TRIAL.

Michael Egan, charged with assault with a deadly weapon in having stabbed William Culley on April 30th last, was arraigned before Judge Ellisworth this morning and pleaded not guilty to the charge and demanded a jury trial. His trial was set for June 17th.

D. S. HIRSHBERG TO GO EAST.



DAVID S. HIRSHBERG.

D. S. Hirshberg is one of the best-known members of the A. O. U. W. in this State. He has served as past grand master of the order in California and is a representative to the supreme lodge, A. O. U. W., which is to meet in St. Paul, Minn., on the 10th inst.

BODY FOUND ON CUSHER AT SANTA
BEACH
MARIA

THIRTEEN-YEAR-OLD SON OF J.
W. GILES ACCIDENTALLY
DROWNED WHILE BATHING.
INTO THE
AIR.

ALAMEDA, June 8.—The body of Lester Giles was recovered on the beach at 10:30 Saturday evening by his father, James W. Giles and his uncle, W. H. Porter. The lad was bathing at the end of Gray street Saturday afternoon with his younger brother, Edwin, and a playmate, Benjamin Fowles. He got in a hole beyond his depth and was drowned before help could reach him. Deceased was thirteen years old, and resided with his sister, Mrs. William H. Foster, 1024 Railroad avenue. He is survived by five brothers, James, William, John, Edgar and Edwin. The funeral is to be held tomorrow at 11 o'clock at the residence of W. H. Foster, 1024 Railroad avenue. The coroner's jury will meet Thursday afternoon and inquire into the cause of his death.

MRS. STEVENS WILL
PRESIDE AT GENIEVE.

BOSTON, Mass., June 8.—The press committee of the National W. C. T. U. has received a copy of the program of the world's W. C. T. U. convention, which was opened at Genieve, Switzerland, today, and which will continue through Thursday. In the absence of Lady Henry Somerset of England, whose health will not permit her to attend the convention of which she is president, Mrs. Lillian N. Stevens of Portland, Maine, vice president at large, will preside. The business sessions will be interspersed with public meetings, at which a number of speakers known widely in connection with the temperance movement will appear.

MINERS WAGE WAR.

THEY ARE FIGHTING FOR EIGHT
HOUR DAY AND WILL CON-
TINUE UNTIL THEY WIN.

DENVER, Colo., June 8.—"Now that the Western Confederation of Miners has decided to wage a campaign for a general eight-hour day, it will not cease its fight until the battle is won," declared President Charles H. Moyer today. "We are having trouble in this respect in a number of places just now, principally in Arizona, where we have 300 men out at McCabe."

"In that territory the eight-hour law went into effect June 1. All employers, except those at McCabe, Clifton and Lorenzo, accepted the law in good faith. In those three places they tried to make a cut in wages, but the men walked out."

"The executive board is in constant communication with the miners at McCabe and is directing their movements from here. The men at Lorenzo and Clifton are unorganized, but have requested that an organizer be sent there and this will be done after the convention adjourns."

CALLED OUT
UNION WAITERS.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., June 8.—The Cooks and Waiters Union this morning called all the union waiters out of the Western Hotel, one of the leading hotels in this city, on the ground that it is "unfair."

Ex-Mayor William Land, proprietor of the hotel, had a short time ago put in a force of colored union cooks secured in San Francisco. They quit work Saturday night and Mr. Land sent for his former Chinese cooks. The ex-Mayor had to go into the dining-room today and help the bell boys wait upon the tables.

AN EXPOSITION OF WHITE

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White Merchandise Greet the Eye. This is to be
White Week at



Garments to wear gal-
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the thousands — the
best product of genius

and skill awaits your pleasure.

INFANTS' SHORT WHITE DRESSES made of fine lawn yoked; trimmed with valen- clennes insertions	\$1.00	LADIES' INDIA SILK SHIRT WAISTS; trimmed with valen- clennes lace; with cluster of small tucks	\$2.45	WHITE LINEN SKIRT elaborately trimmed with Cluny lace	\$4.50, \$6.50, \$7.50, \$8.50 AND \$10.00
MISSSES' WHITE DRESSES made of Swiss; yoked, trimmed with embroidery and ribbon; skirt with deep flounce; sizes 6 to 14 years	\$2.25	WHITE DRESSES of Organdie Mull Swiss Point Esprit and Ox- fords from	\$12.50 UP TO \$25.00	WHITE ALPACA SKIRTS from \$5.00 UP	
LADIES' WHITE SHIRT WAISTS What is left of our superb line of \$1.50 waists go on sale tomorrow. The best goods and styles ever offered at this price—the kind that appear like \$3.00 and \$4.00 waists go on sale at	\$1.50 EACH	WHITE ETAMINE DRESSES; WHITE ALPACA DRESS	\$10.95	SUNBURST SKIRTS—made of a fine grade of White Voile, accom- panied plaited. On special sale at	\$9.90

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New white lace effect dimi-
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Real Antique and Felted bands
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at .. 10c yd
Thirty pieces of White, Em-
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White Goods
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Ladies' White Muslin Skirts
with a deep flounce trimmed
with three rows of wide
Normandy insertion and
edged with lace to match;
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a \$1.50 article for .. \$1.13
White Pique Belts with black
and steel double buckles—a
nobby belt. On sale at .. 35c
White Washable Suede Like
Gloves; a fine wearing ar-
ticle at .. 50c ea

HAS FOUND TRUE
BILLS
A STRIKE

GROFF BROTHERS CONNECTED
WITH BRIBE OFFERING BY
THE FEDERAL GRAND JURY.

WASHINGTON, June 8.—The Fed-
eral Grand Jury has found true bills
against the Groff Brothers in connec-
tion with the alleged offering of bribes
to A. W. Machen, former Superin-
tendent of the Delivery of the Post
office Department. This action was
taken, it was learned, on the same day
that Mr. Machen was indicted. The
delay in presenting the indictments
has been due to the fact that they
could not be prepared for presentation
before today.

The Groff brothers will be tried un-
der Section 5451 of the Revised Stat-
utes, which makes it an offense to
promise money to any government of-
ficer with a view to influence his action
or decision on any question or matter
which may be pending before him.

By bringing in the indictments to-
day, the hearing before the United
States Commission which was set for
tomorrow will be abandoned.

The Grand Jury will at once take up
the case of James M. Tyner, former
assistant attorney-general for the post-
office department who was dismissed
from office as a result of the rifling of
the safe in his office. Although the
opening of the safe was not done by
Mr. Tyner, personally, it is said that he
was connected with the act in such a
way as to compel the laying of the case
before the Grand Jury for its action.

IDORA PARK
INCORPORATES.

Articles of Incorporation of the Idora
Park Amusement Company were filed
with the County Clerk today. The di-
rectors are A. Ingersoll of Pittsburg,
Penn., and A. E. Todd, W. E. Mackin-
son, George Mackinson and L. S.
Church of Oakland. The capital stock
of the corporation is \$100,000 of which
Ingersoll has subscribed \$100 and the
others \$100 each.

The stock is divided into shares of
\$100 each.

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7:20-11:40	7:00	Lv. Lake Tahoe Ar.	6:50-5:50
7:20-11:40	7:00	Lv. Truckee Ar.	6:50-5:50
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A. G. Sanders, Redwood

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Joseph August, East Seventeenth street
and King avenue.
W. Wilson, 1703 Long avenue.
G. A. Harrie, 1115 Merrill avenue.
Howard King, Redwood avenue.
A. P. Rorest, Fruitvale avenue.
H. Hoover, 1210 11th street.
Richard Dubnigh, 1312 Tevis street.
Fred Von Daren, East Fourteen
street.
Jas. Taylor, East Fourteenth and Tev
streets.
W. C. Allen, Washington and Bas
streets.
E. F. Van Alstine, Merrill avenue.
George R. Warren, Tallant street.
A. A. Rader, 1111 Fruitvale ave
and Washington street.
Theo. L. Sahfer, corner Tevis str
and Lloyd avenue.
C. Schall, near Fourteenth str
on Fruitvale avenue.
W. R. Cowan, Fruitvale avenue.
E. F. Brown, Fruitvale avenue.
M. J. Greenway, School avenue.
Albert Johnston Wheeler avenue.
J. Bridge, Fruitvale avenue.

Harbert Allain, Washington street
Robert H. Silva, Forest street, near
Fruitvale avenue.
Alfred Robinson, Fruitvale avenue.
A. Lorsch, Fruitvale avenue.
C. W. Gray, Fruitvale avenue.
Dr. Callen, M. D., East Fourteenth
street, near Fruitvale avenue.
James E. Currus, Bray avenue.
J. Jordan, Fruitvale avenue.
C. H. Lewis, Fremont avenue.
Herman Fehnen, Tobler street.
Nell Henry, Lloyd avenue.
J. D. Dumas, Fruitvale street.
J. Walter S. Scammell, Fruitvale avenue.
Clemens B. Bucholtz, Putnam street.
Charles H. Wishing, Putnam street.
Joseph Grosser, Merrill avenue.
S. Robinson, Merrill avenue.
Robert B. Ingle, 3535 Putnam street.
A. Wood, Fruitvale.
G. H. Thornalley Jr., Bray avenue.
Fruitvale.
P. W. Ehrhart, Fruitvale avenue.
J. H. W. Riley, East Fourteenth street.

M. J. Ehrhart, Back Bay avenue.
 A. Avery, Wheeler avenue and Lar-
 G. Avery, Wheeler avenue and Lar-
 J. E. Jones, East Fourteenth street
 and Fruitvale avenue.
 Henry Barkmeyer, Fruitvale avenue.
 L. Olson, Fremont avenue.
 J. Johnson, Fremont avenue.
 A. M. Brower, Redwood road.
 E. C. Russ, Redwood road.
 S. Saunders, Redwood road.
 H. H. Browneder, Redwood road.
 C. E. Brown, Redwood road.
 Marcus S. Leal, Brandon street.
 M. M. Madsen, Brandon street.
 C. C. Seuberg, Peralta avenue.
 W. N. Whitkinson, King avenue.
 E. Cavas, King avenue.
 J. E. Taylor, East Fourteenth
 Tevis street.
 Fred Strutz, Tevis street.

COUNTY OF ALAMEDA ss.
 I, CHAS. A. JEFFERS, Clerk of said County of Alameda,
 do hereby certify that JOHN W. RUDELL, being duly sworn each for
 self and not one for the other, depose and
 says, that he is a qualified elector of the
 County of Alameda; that he is a resident of Alameda,
 residing within the proposed limits of the proposed town of Fruitvale, and
 forth in the foregoing annexed petition; that the income tax returns of said persons are personally acquainted with the persons whose names are signed to said petition and that he has examined the same and that there are fifty (50) of said persons and are deemed for more than sixty (60) days to the signing of the same as true and correct and that the limit of such proposed operation and are qualified electors of County of Alameda.

CHAS. A. JEFFERS
 GEO. R. WARREN
 W. E. RUDELL

Subscribed and sworn to before me this day of March, 1903.

(Seal)
P. H. BLAKE

Alameda, State of California.

ORDINANCE NO.—

AN ORDINANCE TO PROHIBIT THE DISCHARGE OF CANNON, ANTI-AIRCRAFT, FIREARMS AND FIREWORKS.

Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Oakland, as follows:

SECTION 1.

No person shall fire or discharge

the limits of the City of Oakland, Alameda County, California, and the cities of San Francisco, Berkeley, Alameda, Fremont, Hayward, Richmond, and Sausalito, Contra Costa County, California; and all other cities, towns, villages, hamlets, or places, whether incorporated or unincorporated, in the State of California, which are situated within the limits of the counties of Alameda and Contra Costa, California, shall be deemed to be within the limits of the counties of Alameda and Contra Costa, California, for the purposes of this act.

SECTION 2.

The foregoing provisions as to the limits of the counties of Alameda and Contra Costa, California, shall not apply to the officers in the discharge of their duties who are acting under authority conferred upon them by law, and who are using reasonable care; nor persons using firearms in necessary defense or in a careful manner for the purpose of destroying noxious animals.

nor to persons during recesses or
sessions, or at times preparatory
to the third, fourth and fifth days of July,
provided, that no person shall fire any
crackers or discharge any bombs,
works, or similar preparations upon
sidewalks or crosswalks or within
certain places or streets bounded by
Pennsylvania street, Fifteenth street and
Pablo avenue in the City of Oak-
land or upon any streets fronting on said
or plaza.

SECTION 3.

"Cannon, anvils or fireworks may be
charged upon occasions of public pro-

the Mayor, specifying time and place. All acts under such permission must be done in a careful manner, and such permission shall not exempt the person whom it is granted from any liability for damage not paid by or provided for him under such permission.

SECTION 4.

Every person violating any provision of this ordinance is guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not more than one hundred dollars, and in default of payment, by imprisonment at the rate of one day for each dollar not paid.

SECTION 5.

An ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance to Prohibit the Discharge of Cartridges, Arms, Firearms and Fireworks," proved May 15, 1891, and all ordinances in conflict with this ordinance, are hereby repealed.

SECTION 6.

This ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its approval.

In Council, Oakland, Cal., June 1, 1891.

Passed to print by the following:

Ayes: Messrs. Atkinson, Baccus, C.

Penetration, Wallace and President
—10.
Notes: None.
Absent: Mr. Howard—1.
Attest, FRANK R. THOMPSON
City Clerk
Oakland, June 2, 1903.
204-6-3-10t

GOLDBERG BOWEN & CO.

- Arrived
Todd's famous hams.
Monday Tuesday Wednesday
- Olive oil—reg'ly 40c bottle 25c
 - French—extra value—buy plenty
 - Pine-apple—aliced 2 cans 45c
 - Hawaiian—reg'ly 25c—24 lb can
 - Pate de foies gras—French 30c
 - La Forest—reg'ly 40c—terrine in can
 - Bird pate—French— 15c
 - reg'ly 20c—30c can 25c
 - Tart prunes 3 1/2 lbs 25c
 - Italian—reg'ly 10c lb
 - Currant jelly—reg'ly 25c 22 1/2c
 - Pure currant juice and sugar
 - Cocoa—reg'ly 25c can 20c
 - Baker's—rich flavor—wholesome
 - Sardines—French 2 for 25c
 - Lemoine—reg'ly 15c can
 - Brook trout—reg'ly 25c can 20c
 - Serve hot or cold for the camp
 - Smoked sardines 10c
 - Keller sprout—reg'ly 15c can
 - Fard dates 10c
 - Black—reg'ly 12 1/2c lb
 - Golden dates 3 lbs 25c
 - Maple syrup—Hazen 65c
 - Pure Vermont sap—reg'ly 75c 1/2 gallon
 - Buckwheat—Eastern—10 lb sack 65c
 - Mushrooms—F. LeCourt 20c
 - Small button variety—reg'ly 25c can
 - Toilet soap—American 20c
 - Scented—reg'ly 25c—box of 3 cakes
 - Toilet paper—Belvedere \$1 10
 - 12,000 sheets—reg'ly \$1 25 dozen
 - Hair brush—Loonen 65c
 - 29 rows—good bristle—reg'ly 90c
 - Talcum powder 50c
 - Hudnut—extreme violet
 - Comb—rubber 25c
 - Made for wear—reg'ly 35c
 - Tooth powder 20c
 - Listerated—reg'ly 25c bottle
 - Ice pick—reg'ly 25c 20c
 - Steel head—good—strong

Place your camping order with us, we have the things to please the inner man
Quality with us is a "Leading Feature"—good goods and good packing

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- Riesling—Mt. Vineyard 65c
 - Exceptional value—reg'ly \$1 gallon
 - Brandy—California 75c
 - Pure—reliable— 3
 - reg'ly \$1 bottle—\$4 gallon
 - Porter—ale—White Label \$2
 - Health tonic—reg'ly \$2—\$2 25 dozen
 - Whisky—Hemlock rye \$1
 - Old Crow bourbon— 4
 - reg'ly \$1 25 bottle—\$5 gallon
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PREFERRED LIST IS NAMED.

TEACHERS WHO WILL SECURE POSITIONS IN SCHOOL DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Education met as a Committee of the Whole Saturday night and selected a preferred list of teachers from which to fill vacancies during the year. It is likely that about two of the list will secure permanent positions. There are twenty-three names on the list, as follows: Mrs. Misses Devine, Maxwell, Berg, Pratt, Gillespie, Wentworth, Hoagland, Gunn, Caldwell, Parker, Puffer, Fulton, E. Foster, Mills, Sampson, Montgomery, Kottleson, Freeman, Marvin and Bartlett.

STRICKEN WHILE AT HIS WORK.

Carl Benson, while at work on the excavation for the foundation of the new Bacon Block on Washington street Saturday, was overcome by the heat between 3 and 4 o'clock. He fell to the ground unconscious. The ambulance was called and he was removed to the Receiving Hospital where he died at 3 o'clock Saturday evening.
Deceased was a widower, the father of seven children, six of whom are living in Sweden. He was 52 years of age and a native of Sweden. Jaimar Benson, his son, is his only relative in California. He lived with him at 413 Ninth street. The son states that his father has always been well up to a week ago, when he complained of violent pains in the stomach and back.
The remains are in charge of the coroner.

TRANSPORTING A MANSION.
BOSTON, June 8.—Piece by piece, the half million dollar mansion of John M. Longyear has begun to come to Brooklyn from Marquette, Mich. It will take several months for the entire structure, mostly of stone, to be transported East, and then it will be built again in this fashionable Boston suburb. The entire work of transporting and rebuilding the mansion will occupy about two years. Mr. Longyear formerly was Mayor of Marquette.

MRS. PRIESTLY IS APPOINTED.



MRS. T. S. PRIESTLY.

ALAMEDA, June 8.—Mrs. T. S. Priestly of Pacific avenue, has just been appointed district deputy president of District No. 1 of the Rebekahs. This gives her control of Alameda Lodge No. 107, Fair Oaks No. 1, Brooklyn No. 12, Golden Gate Link No. 105, San Leandro No. 224, and Elmhurst No. 227.

REV. B. FAY MILLS DAUGHTER BORN ON ANIMALS.

THE PASTOR OF THE UNITARIAN CHURCH MAKES A PLEA TO PEOPLE.

Rev. Benjamin Fay Mills spoke on Sunday morning at the First Unitarian Church on "The Prayer of the Animals to Men."
He said in part: "Men used to regard themselves as akin only to their relatives. They then gained the sense of devotion to their compatriots. Now we hear of universal brotherhood among men and the most enlightened are claiming that we are related also to the lower animals and should extend our kind consideration to them."

SOME HARD FACTS.
"To the animals men must seem as gods or devils; many times justly as devils. We cause them to suffer by objects cruelty as when we allow children to torture insects or the boys of an Oakland school organize the 'L. O. K. K.' or Independent Order of Cat Killers. Many times men torture them for pecuniary profit as when a prominent company allows its horses to be driven while lame and sore and sick, or a pointer to furnish food and clothing. The animals are humanely regarded, a dog at whom a stone is thrown will not run away, but will come toward a man to see what his friend wants of him. The animal cries to us for instruction, elevation, confidence and love."

GOLDEN RULE TO ANIMALS.
"They have asked for bread and we have literally given them stones. Would you like the powers above to treat you as you treat the animals? If we really believe in the one life in all, we would love every living creature and the expression of our love would uplift ourselves. They without us cannot be perfect, nor we without them. They are our judges. In the conflict of opinion as to education, we should teach our children humanity; amid the cries of rival religion and sects of religions we should inculcate kindness to the one religion. In the on-marching of science and philosophy, truth must be truth and duty—live in fellowship with the God above, with the men by our side and with the animals beneath us, until the prophet's dream shall be fulfilled and the lion shall lie down with the lamb and they shall be united in a brotherhood in all God's holy mountain and man's holy earth."

STRUCK BY WATERSPOUT.
NEW YORK, June 8.—Rushing in from the sea a waterspout traveled at great speed, had struck a train on the Brooklyn elevated road, bound cityward from Rockaway Beach. The motor man saw the spout just as the train reached a trestle over Broad channel, Jamaica bay. He gave up full power in an effort to get past but the flood of water struck between the third and fourth cars. The platforms were crowded with persons unable to get inside the cars.
These were almost swept off into the bay but managed to hold fast to the railings. The flood rushed down the aisle and caused a wild scramble. Hundreds of pleasure-seekers were drenched to the skin. No one was seriously injured, however, and owing to the fact that tons of water struck the cars, they did not leave the rails.

FEDERATION OF ZIONISTS RECEIVE GREETING.

Eminent Jews From All Parts of the World Send Messages to Convention.

PITTSBURG, June 8.—The consideration of the amended constitution of the American Federation of Zionists occupied nearly all of today's first session. Greetings from eminent Jews of the world were received and read at the convention. This telegram from Vienna was sent by Dr. Herzl:
"To the Zionists convention, Pittsburgh: The situation of our Russian brethren is very serious and calls for our most earnest attention. A great emigrant movement from Russia is to be expected. We shall bring to the Basle Congress a program which we believe will help our people. With Zionist greetings."
From Barits came these words of Dr. Max Nordau:
"I trust you will continue to develop into power to the honor of American Jewry and to the benefit of the Jewish people, whose position in the world is more appalling than it has been at any moment in the last century. The same of Kishinev, written with letters of blood and fire in the other and even more tragedy of Israel, is sufficient by itself to bear out this statement. It shows that for our people there is no such thing as progress. For us history has not moved onward by one step for the last 30 years. We are still in the fearful period of the crusader, when the pious warriors of the cross trained themselves to their best work by the wholesale slaughter of Jews and the looting of defenseless Ghettos. It shows also that Zionism is the way to save our miserable brethren in Russia, and elsewhere out of their present hell. I would despair of Judaism and of humanity as well, if the free and happy Jews of America were to turn a deaf ear to the blood-curdling tale of Kishinev."
Israel Zangwill sent the following message:
"The Kishinev massacre has brought home to the blindest the need of publicly and legally safeguarded homes for our unhappy race. When you come to consider where this centralized home should be you will find no place as practicable as Palestine or at least for a start, its neighborhood."
"May the strenuous town of fire and steel in which you meet today, build a bridge over which Israel shall pass to his ancient home and his glorious future."

AMUSEMENTS AT WILL GIVE PLAY THEATERS. AT SCHOOL

MACDONOUGH, DEWEY AND IDORA PARK OFFER AMUSEMENTS.

When Clyde Fitch wrote "The Stubbornness of Geraldine" for Mary Manning he broke one of the unwritten laws of the American dramatist, which prescribes that the gentleman with the dialect shall be either a comedian figuring into the counter-plot or a subtle and seductive villain, foiled in the last act. From the Elizabethans to modern heroes to beware of the insinuating individual who does contortion tricks with the language, which he woe her. Making a poverty-stricken count from the continent who has to "think ze word," while his phraseology changes from the Magyar in his mind to the English on his lips an honorable and misjudged gentleman and a loyal lover is a departure from tradition, and a parallel for which the play-goer must go back in memory to "Prince Karl." The most difficult task that Arthur Byron has to overcome nightly is to disabuse the audience of the impression that he is an impostor. At the Macdonough June 3 and 10.

AT THE DEWEY.
The new bill for this week at the Dewey Theatre, with its galaxy of stars, will have its first presentation tonight. The program is a very interesting one and there is a varied assortment of acts.
Raymond, Whitaker & Co. have a very pleasing comedy sketch, which is a singer of the legitimate for the vaudeville. George W. Moore is the man who sings his own songs and his ditties, both as a singer and composer, are beyond question. Robinson and Grant are two tiny men, who do an Irish comedy turn. They are great mimicry volkers and are sure to be popular. Conny and Pearl are artists in the song and dance line. There is a new, as well as original, act. The Leons are very clever aerial gymnasts and perform difficult feats.
Katherine Fuller, the soprano soloist, is a singer of rare ability, having a sweet voice of considerable range. Frederick the Great is a clever conjurer, and his feats are all in the comedy vein. He will make the audience marvel as well as laugh.
C. Ernest Edwards has made a large reputation as a singer and has been for years as the "eminent" singer of good songs. The bioscope with new moving pictures will end the program.

IDORA PARK.
The Eastern stars who added so much to the entertainment of the public at Idora, during their last week, are scheduled to appear on this week's bill. Rosalie, the peerless soprano, will have an entirely new selection of songs. She has captivated Oakland with her magnificent voice and she will be gladly welcomed by all. Valis, novelty gymnasts. The great comedy and clever, and perform some very daring feats.
Kelly and Davis are two of the most successful comedians which Oakland theatergoers have ever had the pleasure of listening to. Their jokes and acts will be new and original and will keep the audience in a constant uproar as usual.
Harry Sylvester has a charming collection of songs, which he illustrated. The strength and power of his voice is remarkable and he has indeed deserved the hearty applause which he has received. The program will include a large variety of pictures, which will claim the attention of all.
The admission to the gallery is free, the dress circle 10 cents, and the orchestra 25 cents.
The balloon ascension and high dive will be as usual every afternoon and evening, and the spectacular coal mine which is built to resemble the gallery of a coal mine, will attract their usual large crowds. Amateur night will be on Friday.

WOODMEN HOLD MEMORIAL SERVICES.

The annual memorial services of the Woodmen of the World were held yesterday afternoon at Mountain View Cemetery. There was a unusually large number of members present.
Judge P. B. Ordun unveiled two monuments that had been erected to the memory of J. G. McCarty and R. J. Kelly, after which the exercises were held on the greenward beneath the trees. Rev. E. E. Baker delivered the oration and the poem from the ritual was read by W. L. Boldt. A quartet under the direction of Professor Kornis supplied the music. T. M. Robinson officiated as master of ceremonies.

WILL TAKE PART IN THE PLAY



MISS ALICE MOULD.
(Photo Dames & Arrowsmith.)

Miss Alice Mould is one of the high school graduates, who will take part in "The Taming of the Shrew," to be given by this year's class at the Macdonough June 18. Miss Mould will take the part of the mantua-maker.
The character of the mantua-maker is an original one and was introduced into Shakespeare's comedy by the senior class.

CHAPMAN MAKES MILLMEN WILL A STATEMENT. NOT STRIKE

TELLS ABOUT THE TRANSFER OF PROPERTY TO JAILER MURDOCK. THEY COME TO AN AGREEMENT WITH THE OWNERS.

In reference to the many statements made concerning the transfer of the property of the prisoner in the County Jail to Jailer Murdock, Attorney M. C. Chapman makes the following statement:
"Prior to the preliminary examination of the defendant Lane, he requested me to call at the County Jail and there asked me to defend him upon the perjury charge pending in Judge Quinn's court.
"I accepted the employment, conditioned upon his making some arrangements for the payment of my fee. He stated that he was willing to turn over all his personal property, situated on his ranch southeast of Livermore. I declined to accept his proposition. He stated that the horses and stock would starve unless somebody attended to them, unless he should be successful in defending himself against the charge of perjury; that there were horse thieves in the locality of his ranch, and that he wanted to protect his property for the benefit of those to whom he was indebted.
"I suggested to him that perhaps he had better make the transfer to Mr. Murdock, the jailer, as he, Murdock, was familiar with the property and its location, and that he give to Murdock a list of his creditors with the amount due to each, so that if he should be taken to Oregon by extradition, arrangements could be made for the care of the property, its sale and the payment of his debts. This was precisely what I wanted done and Mr. Murdock acted solely for me in the matter.
"A bill of sale was made to Murdock of all personal property duly acknowledged and recorded in the County Recorder's office. No disposition was made of the ranch. The bill of sale to Murdock was intended to be, and is effective against the creditors of Lane. Immediate disposition of the property was not taken under the bill of sale, therefore the transfer was incomplete, and the payment of the debts of Lane will find the property subject to his attachment.
"If there had been any intention on the part of any one to defeat the rights of creditors, immediate possession up to the date of sale would have been taken. This, as before stated, was not done. The only effect of the bill of sale was to enable Murdock to exercise authority and commission over the property for its preservation, sale and the payment of the debts of Lane.
"I understand that the amount of the personal property is not valued more than sufficient to pay all of the debts of Lane, and in case there be a surplus, the balance will be sent to him in Oregon, where he has been taken under requisition of the government.
"In justice to Mr. Murdock it ought to be said that what he has done has been done solely at my request; that he is to obtain his portion of the property on the proceeds, and there has been no agreement for his compensation.
"As for myself, I have no further explanation to make in the matter, and what has been said by me here is to vindicate Mr. Murdock from any wrong-doing whatsoever. As to the public, I do not consider that they have any interest in the matter, although the creditors have been and should be and will be protected, not as to the value of personal property."

TROOP TO CAMP AT LORIN.

Troop A, cavalry, National Guard of California, will camp at Lorin, Berkeley, July 3, 4 and 5. It will be named Camp Pardee, and is to be a camp of instruction, discipline and trial of military skill and proficiency. The troop will parade in Oakland on July 4 and will hold its State shoot at Shell Mound June 10.
The following recent appointments in the First Infantry have been confirmed: On the staff of the commanding officer, Hyman Myers, Battalion Sergeant Major, Vice John J. Canavan, discharged, Charles H. Craigie to be Color Sergeant, Vice William F. Maher, discharged, Sergeant James J. Murphy, Company E, to be First Sergeant, Vice Hurley, discharged, Quartermaster-Sergeant Edwin F. Mulvay, Company H, is returned to duty as sergeant at his own request, and Sergeant Roy A. Hawkins is appointed Quartermaster-Sergeant to fill his place.

DROPPED DEAD OF HEART DISEASE.

Melancthon O. McClain, aged 66 years, dropped dead at 6:30 o'clock last night while entering the door of his friend, Charles Blackburn, at 832 Castro street. Mr. McClain was a painter at Frank Hampel's paint shop, 1414 Broadway. His sudden decease was thought to be due to heart disease, of which he has been a victim for some years. The body was taken to the Morgue.
Deceased was unmarried and leaves two sisters, Mrs. G. Black and Mrs. M. Van Valkenburg. Mr. McClain was a man of honesty and integrity, and his death will be mourned by a large number of friends, who esteemed him highly.

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